



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 4266

Akihiko CHIBA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1742

Serial Number: 10/612,039

Examiner: Michael P. Alexander

Filed: July 3, 2003

Attorney Docket Number: 108421-00075

For: PRECIPITATION HARDENED Co-Ni BASED HEAT-RESISTANT ALLOY
AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREFOR

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Date: April 7, 2006

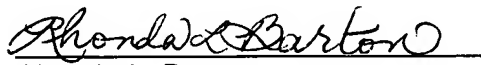
Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for two months for response to the outstanding Office Action dated November 7, 2005 from February 7, 2006 to April 7, 2006. Attached is our check in the amount of \$450.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Docket No. 108421-00075.

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